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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS  
AND INTERFERENCES

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Ex parte CARL J. FRIDDLE,  
BRENDA GERHARDT, and  
D. WADE WALKE

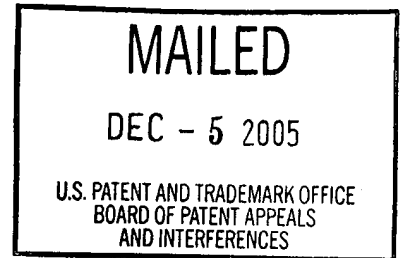
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Application 09/916,122

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**ORDER**

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On October 31, 2005, the Board rendered a Decision on Appeal. On November 8, 2005, appellants filed a communication stating that "[a]ppellants hereby withdraw the present appeal . . . in order to pursue claims in a continuing application, which was filed on October 5, 2005."

Accordingly, the application is being returned to the examiner for further action as may be appropriate.

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